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Owing to bad roads but few people came in from the country, but bidding was spirited and stock brought fair prices. Next sale Saturday March 12th 1884.

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ENLARGEMENT.

The SEMI-WEEKLY SOUTH KENTUCKIAN is not yet out of its swaddling clothes, but it has succeeded so far beyond our expectations, that we have found it necessary to enlarge in order to meet the requirements of our advertising patronage. The columns of the paper have been lengthened two inches, thereby giving us nearly three columns of additional space. We cannot refrain from availing ourselves of the present opportunity to thank the business men of Hopkinsville for the encouraging patronage they have extended to us, and the substantial manner in which they have helped us to give the people of Christian and surrounding counties a first-class semi-weekly paper at the price of a weekly. We shall endeavor to merit the continued and increased patronage of the public, promising that all demands shall be promptly met. The subscription price will remain as heretofore, \$2.00 per annum, cash in advance, with a ticket in our annual premium distribution next fall.

The Virginia Republicans and Radicals will send a joint delegation to the National Republican Convention.

The sending of an insulting comic valentine caused one negro woman to shoot and kill another, in Philadelphia.

Louisville has strong hopes of securing the Democratic Presidential convention. The National Committee will settle upon a time and place to-day.

"Ah there," you naughty boys of the Henderson News and Paducah Journal. We have caught you copying items from the South KENTUCKIAN without giving credit.

The editor of the Madisonville Times denounces as a bald-headed lie the report circulated by certain interested parties to the effect that he contemplated leaving Madisonville.

Philadelphia now has her first colored policeman, appointed since the Democrats secured control of the city government. Still the Republicans would have the negroes believe that Democrats are not their friends.

The young bloods of Richmond are spoiling to organize a company of state guards, but there are already as many companies as the constitution allows. They will try to get a special act passed by the Legislature, unless one of the old companies is mustered out of service to let "another Richmond in the field."

Mr. Henry Watterson, editor of the Courier-Journal, has prepared and will have introduced in Congress a bill to copyright all newspapers news and articles and prohibit their republication by other papers until they are twenty-four hours old. Mr. Watterson is evidently striking his old enemy, the Evening Post.

A bill has been favorably reported to the Lower House of the General Assembly to build a branch penitentiary at Eddyville. The institution is to cost \$150,000 and to have 400 cells. It will be reformatory and the young convicts will be confined in it. The bill provides that the Governor shall appoint three suitable persons to act as Commissioners for the erection of the prison, who shall receive no compensation except the payment of their necessary expenses.

In November, 1785, the State of North Carolina gave to the University of Tennessee a large tract of land that is now a part of the most valuable portion of Nashville. One of the conditions of this gift was that this land should be free from taxation for a period of ninety-nine years. This condition expires during the present year, and Nashville's taxable property will be augmented \$5,000,000, and her income increased \$100,000 annually thereafter.—Clarksville Tobacco Leaf.

The Legislative caucus made its last nomination last Friday night and chose W. T. B. South, of Frankfort, as warden of the penitentiary. The names before the caucus were W. T. B. South, of Frankfort; John Thomas of Owen; R. M. Rodman, of Daviess, and H. I. Todd, of Franklin county. The first ballot stood, South, 47; Rodman, 31; Todd, 22; Thomas, 21. The second, South, 45; Rodman, 29; Todd, 24; Thomas, 23; Thomas dropped. The third, South, 55; Rodman, 39; Todd, 26; Todd dropped. The fourth, South 64 and Rodman 55. Mr. South is a son of Col. Jerry South, deceased, the former lessee. Capt. Todd is the present incumbent.

Mr. Scott, of Louisville has introduced a bill requiring telegraph and telephone wires to be put underground in cities having more than 5,000 inhabitants. The same gentleman has also introduced the following bill:

Be it enacted, etc. That hereafter it shall not be lawful for any telephone company to charge any one party, in any city of more than 5,000 inhabitants, a greater sum than \$2.50 per month as a rental for the use of any telephone; this to include the instrument and all appendages.

Sec. 2. That any violation of this act shall be an indictable misdemeanor, punishable by a fine of not less than \$200 nor more than \$1,000.

"H₂O."

The Ohio River is Falling Above and Rising Towards Its Mouth.

The Ohio river is slowly falling and reluctantly seeking its banks at all points above. The destruction disclosed by the receding waters makes the bravest and most enduring hearts sick. The following headlines from the Cincinnati Enquirer eloquently but feebly portray the situation:

"Counting the cost.—The task grows more and more appalling.—Add stagnated business and weakened walls.—Rich farms swept into the maddened current and gone.—Add thousands of homes with all their penates.—Their sweet associations that no relief committee can restore.—Torn asunder, scattered upon the wild waves and on their way to the gulf.—And in the awful total compute the desolate heartstones.—Thus only can the magnitude of the Ohio Valley calamity be calculated."

The relief committees are bravely at work relieving the distress of the sufferers. None will be allowed to remain unsupplied with food and clothing.

At Louisville the river has fallen to about 40 feet and is falling two feet a day. At this rate it will take a week more for the waters to fall into the channel.

Paducah and Cairo report the river still slowly rising. A severe storm Tuesday added to the horrors of the situation, and did serious damage at Paducah. It destroyed Chase, Carley & Co's warehouse with \$1,000 worth of oil; Buckner's tobacco warehouse with 150 hogheads of tobacco was washed into the river and several smaller buildings were demolished by the wind and waves.

Severe Wind Storm.

Meager details have been received here of the destruction of property by the blizzard of Tuesday night at Clarksville, Henderson and other places. At Clarksville Tenn., we understand the Chronicle office, two churches and a large number of other houses were unroofed and a negro man badly crippled. At Henderson the destruction is reported worse still and it is stated upon the authority of drummers that several persons were killed in that city and that twenty or more houses were demolished. We have been unable to get the daily papers on the day of publication for several days and consequently our report is based upon hearsay and not upon authentic accounts. We trust the reports may prove to be exaggerated.

KENTUCKY KNOWLEDGE.

Louisville has 1,200 saloons.

A Clark county farmer has 40 ewes that have 65 lambs.

The two Fitzpatricks will be hanged at Columbia next Friday.

A post office has been established at Hilsley, in Hopkins county.

An explosion in at mine at East View instantly killed seven miners.

Col. E. Polk Johnson, clerk of the House, is sick with pneumonia.

Jos. Cain shot and killed J. D. Murphy, in Louisville, Tuesday.

Wm. Tharp, a Breathitt county desperado, was waylaid and shot Feb. 1.

A Baptist revival swallowed up the young Leap year party in Bowling Green.

Geo. W. Rowsey shot and killed his cousin and brother-in-law, in Boyle county.

Mrs. Jos. N. Conway was found dead in her bed, of heart disease, in Louisville.

John Bush, col., will hang at Lexington April 16, for the murder of Miss Vaumeter.

More than 1,000 valentines were held for insufficient postage in the Louisville post office.

Madisonville wants the Legislature to pass a law prohibiting the sale of liquor in the town.

During the year 1883, 79 people were killed and 323 wounded by railroad accidents in the state.

Dennis Donovan was stabbed and killed in Covington in a street row. Jno. Kinsella is under arrest.

Scott county leads off this year. She will have a Democratic primary election to nominate a sheriff Feb. 23.

"The Home Enterprise" has succeeded the Hart county Democrat, at Horse Cave, with Marion Hise as editor.

The Clinton Democrat says Rola A. Finch, of Hickman county, has a mare that recently gave birth to three colts at one time.

W. D. Ray, of Helena, Ky., blew out the gas in his room in a Lexington hotel and was nearly suffocated when found.

R. L. Clinkenbeard has already announced himself a candidate to represent Clark county in the Legislature of 1885-6.

Clay Quisenberry, col., shot and killed a colored woman named Gilum, in Bowling Green. He claims that the shooting was accidental.

Mrs. John Riley jumped into a cistern, at Falmouth, with her baby in her arms and both were drowned. No cause was assigned for her suicide.

Col. A. G. Talbot has announced himself a candidate for Congress in Phil. Thompson's district. He now represents Boyle county in the Legislature.

Bartholomew Wood.

[From the notes on our County History.]

A very early settler of the county, and a rather prominent man in his sphere of life was Bartholomew Wood, more familiarly known among his friends and acquaintances as "Bat Wood." Just when he came to Christian county no one knows. Why he came, perhaps he did not know himself. It is related of his settlement, that when on his way to Kentucky, with no definite point in view, that he was so favorably impressed with the abundance of game in this locality, that he stopped and built himself a cabin. He figured conspicuously in the early history of Hopkinsville and of Christian county, and at one time owned a vast amount of land around the embryo city. He was a man of strong practical common sense, but rather deficient in book learning; a rough diamond and marvelously adapted to the period in which he lived. In his buckskin hunting shirt and leather breeches, he hunted and trapped a great deal, and enjoyed himself as only a hunter could. He belonged to that sturdy class of pioneers, whose iron frames had been hardened by exposure, whose muscles were toughened by exercise and toil, and whose bodies seemed invulnerable to disease and pain. The wilderness, with its wild beasts and savages, was their element. They sported with danger, and if need be met death with fortitude and composure. To such men Kentucky, in a measure, owes her present glory and greatness.

Bartholomew Wood was originally from North Carolina and immigrated to Tennessee soon after the Revolutionary War. Some years later and prior to the close of the last century he came to Kentucky, but in what year is not known. He was here when the county was organized, and donated five acres of land for public buildings. He entered a great deal of land in his own name and in the names of his children. The following is told of his land speculations:

He had entered a body of land in the name of one of his daughters who afterward married Levi Cornelius. After her marriage Mr. Wood went to her to transfer the land back to him, but her husband would not allow her to do it. In spite of all arguments and importunities, Cornelius held to the land, and finally sold it to Young Ewing.

Mr. Wood had a family of several sons and daughters. The names of his sons were Bartholomew, Hardin, Carter, William and Curtis, the latter the only one now living. He is a man over eighty years of age, and is a resident of the county. One of his daughters married Levi Cornelius, as already stated, another married Obadiah Roberts, and one or two were still single when the old man moved back to Tennessee, which he did some years before his death. Most of his children went with him, except Bartholomew, but after the death of their father they came back here, and many descendants of the old pioneer are living in the county to-day. [Many other facts and incidents in the life of Mr. Wood will be given in the chapter on the early history of Hopkinsville, and any errors in the above will be corrected.]

The Owensboro messenger says Collector Farley has appointed but one officer since he came into office 60 days ago, but has retained Maj. Crumbaugh's force entire.

The Licking Valley Scorchier, published at West Liberty, Morgan county, has died for want of a paying patronage. It was a bright news sheet and one of our favorite exchanges.

A vest worn by Albritton Drake, a soldier under Gen. Washington's immediate command during the revolutionary war, is an heirloom much prized by A. J. Drake, of Logan county.

S. F. Jones, an inmate of Anchorage Asylum, committed suicide by hanging himself with a towel in a closet last Friday. He was "as crazy as a June bug" and had attempted suicide several times before.

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SOCIETIES.

Mr. K. R. McKee, of Longview, was in to see us Wednesday.

Mr. Geo. E. Gary and bride, of Bowling Green, are in the city, the guests of Mr. M. C. Farber.

Mrs. C. H. Dietrich and Miss Bettie Stevenson are visiting relatives in Princeton this week.

Mr. Geo. B. Pierce returned a few days ago from a three weeks' trip to Texas. He was much pleased with the Lone Star state.

Rev. Dr. Warder, of Louisville, and Rev. J. M. Peay, of Pembroke, were in the city Wednesday and attended prayer meeting at the Baptist church.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Cunningham, of Henderson, were in the city the first part of the week visiting the latter's parents.

Mr. James M. Gary, a clever young gentleman until lately living a few miles south of the city has gone to Aulton, Tex., to live.

Mr. F. T. Gorman, formerly in the merchant tailoring business in this city, is in the city taking orders for his house recently opened in Louisville.

GARY-HARDIN.

Mr. Geo. E. Gary, formerly connected with the business department of the South Kentuckian, and a young gentleman well known and highly esteemed in this city and county, was married in Gallatin, Tenn., Feb. 14, to a most estimable young lady of Logan Co. The following account of the marriage is from the Bowling Green Daily Times, of the 15th:

"The fashionable social circle of Bowling Green received somewhat of a surprise last evening when it was wafted on the wintry breezes, and whispered from ear to ear that Mr. Geo. E. Gary, a popular young gentleman who fills the position of book-keeper at Forbes & Bro's planing mill and Miss Florence Hardin, the beautiful and intelligent daughter of Mr. J. M. Hardin, of Woodburn, had taken the 5 o'clock train for Gallatin, Tenn., accompanied by Mr. L. W. Gaines, and were married in the parlor of the Lindie House, Rev. B. H. Haynes performing the ceremony. A telegram was sent to Capt. Ed. Grant about 8 o'clock, engaging rooms at the Morehead House, and at 10 o'clock the wedding party arrived and were received in the parlor by a large crowd of friends, who were awaiting their coming. Congratulations were in order and everybody was in the gayest of spirits. The bride is well known among our people, and previous to the happy event of last evening had been visiting at Mrs. Col. Campbell's, during which time she was the recipient of much attention from the young gentlemen, among whom she is deservedly popular. Mr. Gary is a gentleman of fine business attainments, and is held in high esteem by all who know him in this city. The Times, in union with their large circle of friends, wishes them a safe and pleasant journey through life. For the present Mr. and Mrs. Gary have rooms at the Morehead House, where they will be pleased to meet their friends and acquaintances."

Failure of a Texas Bank.

Quite an excitement has prevailed this week among our citizens over the failure of the Abilene bank last Saturday. Several citizens of Anson and Jones county had money therein on deposit, which were fearful they will lose entirely. Mr. Potts, living two miles southwest of Anson, had \$3,000 on deposit, and if he loses that he will be completely broken up, as all his effects were in cash. Probably the heaviest loss sustained by the break, was that of Mr. Jno. B. Bell, of Hopkinsville, Ky., who had just sold out his effects in that place, and moved to Abilene but a week before the failure. Unluckily for him he placed his all (\$14,000) in the Abilene bank and lost the whole. The failure will be felt by many of our citizens, which will perhaps teach them a good lesson, and that is to keep their surplus cash out of a little one horse bank that has no visible backing.—Anson (Tex.) Western, Feb. 15.

This estimate of Mr. Jno. B. Bell's loss is undoubtedly largely over-estimated, as we are informed by Mr. Bell's bankers here that he took only about \$4,000 in cash with him, \$3,000 of that in drafts to use only in case of an emergency. We regret to learn that Mr. Bell has sustained any loss, but these figures cannot be within \$10,000 of the truth, unless he took money with him that had not been deposited in bank here, and this is not at all probable.

Zeno Young is looking for a partner who sent him a hideous note, yesterday.

HERE AND THERE.

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The "Washington's Birthday" exercises at the Public School building, will begin at 1 o'clock this afternoon.

The lending library is located temporarily in Col. Jno. W. Pherson's law office, up stairs in the McDaniel building.

Messrs. Collins & Price the painters executed several very handsome signs on Main street during the last few days. That of Jas. M. Howe is especially noticeable.

Jesse James died on the 15th inst. in the Western Kentucky Lunatic Asylum. He was a patient there and died of consumption.

Mr. W. T. Cooper, proprietor of the Phoenix Hotel, is having some interior improvements made about the office of his hotel and it will be given a new coat of paint also.

The statement made Tuesday that the mail contractor on the Longview route had been fined \$150 for neglect of duty was a mistake. We were misinformed.

Hardin Baldwin, an old citizen of the Manitou district, was last Friday adjudged a lunatic and sent to the asylum at Hopkinsville.—Madisonville Times.

The farmers of Pembroke and vicinity are signing a petition for a law to prohibit stock from running at large, with great unanimity. It is a good move and such a law ought to be passed.

Mr. Rufus McClendon, a young farmer who recently moved from Sinking Fork to the Garretttsburg neighborhood, died last Monday, of pneumonia. His remains were brought to the city an interred here on the following day.

Mr. Robt. Mills the contractor of the Garnett & Williams building on the corner of Main and Spring streets is preparing the foundation as rapidly as the weather will permit.

Messrs. Rea & Johnson, the Nashville street tinners and hardware dealers, have moved from near the depot to the room lately occupied by Rosenbaum, nearly opposite the South Kentuckian office.

An exchange says: "A voice of exquisite purity, a coy and childlike abandon, added to grace and nature in every action, stamps Miss Evans the true exponent of the sourette school. She is truly a child of nature."

Little Lizzie Evans who gave such delight to our people by her performance here last September, will revisit us to-night, and they should give the little artist a hearty welcome, such as the high order of her talent fully merits. A re-written version of "Dew Drop" is the play.

Russellville street, which was torn up last fall to be lowered, by the city council, is still impassable and the constant travel over the cross street in front of South Kentucky College has caused the metal to be broken through in many places and the street is now in a very bad condition.

A romantic idyl of the coast of Wales, a greatly improved version of "Dew Drop", with charming Lizzie Evans in the title role, Miss Marie Le Gros as Grandma Velvorton, W. T. Sheehan as Dennis Staley and the other characters well sustained will be given at the Opera House to-night.

Col. Jno. B. Bell, an old and, we judge from all we can learn, a very successful breeder of short-horn cattle, fine sheep and hogs, at Hopkinsville, Ky., arrived in town last Saturday, and will make his future home in Abilene. Accompanying him are his own family of eight persons and his son-in-law, Mr. E. W. Watson, and family of eight—in all sixteen persons. They are for the present living in a large new dwelling, east side Oak street. Col. Bell sold out his stock farm in Kentucky, and will invest in the first good thing that presents itself here. To him and his large family the Reporter extends a cordial welcome, and feels safe in predicting that all will find here many friends, good health, and much prosperity. He tells us that there are near a hundred families about his old home who are contemplating a removal to this place the present year.—Abilene (Tex.) Reporter.

Mrs. Belle C. Lankford, of Marshall, Mo., formerly Miss Chastain, died at her home Sunday, Feb. 10th, 1882. She was extensively connected in this city and county. The Marshall Progress says:

"Her funeral on Tuesday was of a character to show how useful and noble her life had been. The voices of old men were eloquent with her praise, the sobs of hundreds of young children attested their sorrow and their love. Her old pastor, Elder R. M. Messick, made every heart vibrate with the holiest and sincere admiration and love for her character, which welled up from his heart and his memory."

In the schools, in the courts and in the homes of Marshall was left the black shadow of Mrs. Belle C. Lankford's death. In the different rooms of the public schools containing her old pupils, the eloquent words of remembrance and honor that fell from the lips of Supt. Spencer as he dismissed those pupils to attend her funeral, brought the tears of unfeigned sorrow to their eyes."

The deceased was 29 years of age. Her husband, Geo. W. Langford, Esq., is clerk of the Saline County Circuit Court.

TOBACCO SALES.

Sales by Hancock & Fraser of 24 Hhds., as follows:

11 Hhds., medium to good lugs

\$6 25 to 7 00.

18 Hhds., common to medium leaf

\$7 00 to 7 80.

5 Hhds., good to fine leaf \$3 25 to 12 00.

The 11hd. sold at twelve dollars

was grown by Messrs. John and Jennings Jones, of Beverly, Ky. and bought by E. M. Flack.

Market full on all grades.

Sales by Buckner & Wooldridge, Feb. 20th, 1884, of 23 Hhds. tobacco, as follows:

9 Hhds., medium leaf, \$6 85 to 8 00.

5 " common and low leaf, \$7 90 to 7 25.

14 Hhds., lugs, \$7 00 to 6 25.

Market closes strong and full for all kinds of tobacco. Owing to bad roads and weather, receipts continue small.

Sales by Abernathy & Co. Feb. 20th of 30 Hhds., as follows:

12 Hhds., medium leaf, \$8 60 to 7 00.

12 " low leaf and lugs, \$7 00 to 6 10.

Receipts continue light and our information is that the crop has almost entirely gone into second hands weighing out much below former estimates. Planters seem anxious to deliver the present crop in order to make preparations for the next, believing the prospect to be for better prices than for the past few years.

Nelson & Jesup sold this week 13 Hhds. tobacco as follows:

7 Hhds., leaf, \$8 25 to 7 05.

6 " lugs, \$6 90 to 6 00.

Market very strong and active.

W. J. Ferguson appeared at the Opera House Tuesday evening as "The Dude" in the new play "A Friendly Tip." The house was one of the best of the season and the play was highly satisfactory to all who saw it. It was one continued roar of laughter from the time the curtain rose. Ferguson as the dude, Sir Chauncey Trip, did his part perfectly. All of the parts were fairly well sustained and the play taken altogether was one of the most amusing ones we have had this season.

There is quite an exodus from this county to Texas this year. A number of good and substantial citizens have gone to Jones and Hayes counties recently and others are contemplating going soon.

Mr. M. B. King received yesterday from Warren Morton's stock farm, in Logan county, a thoroughbred Berkshire pig four months old, for which he paid \$15.00. It is a beauty.

A protracted meeting began at the Presbyterian church Wednesday evening and is now in progress.

We copy an article in this issue from the Nashville American of Feb. 2, which speaks very complimentary of Dr. A. B. Barker, an eminent oculist and aurist, of Cincinnati, who performed some wonderful operations in this city last fall. The Dr. will pay our citizens another visit soon.

L. J. McCormick, the reaper man, of Chicago, gave \$1,000 to the committee for the relief of the Ohio valley flood sufferers.

We will from time to time keep our people posted of all changes in firms, the new ones that come into our midst and what our merchants have for sale.

The Housewife

A domestic journal for American house-keepers, will be sent for one year free to every lady who will send at once the names and addresses of ten married ladies or house-keepers and 24 cents in 2-cent stamps for postage. It is the best family paper in the U. S., and this offer is made only to secure names to whom to send sample copies, as we know every lady who once sees THE HOUSEWIFE will subscribe for it. Regular price \$1.00 per year. Send to day so as to secure next number. Address THE HOUSEWIFE, Rochester, New York.

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Now that the season is fast approaching when the carpenter and builder, the teamster and liveryman and the farmer, all stand in need of hardware, gearing and farm machinery and implements, and where these articles of the best manufacture can be had at low down figures is what they desire to know. Such being the case, we wish, in this issue of the South Kentuckian, to herald the news to the people of this and adjoining counties, that Metcalfe, Graham & Co., have just received a large and complete stock of these articles, including a car-load of the celebrated "Old Hickory" wagons. They have also on exhibition the Deering Cord Binder, which was exhibited during the Exposition at Louisville, and is certainly one of the most perfect grain saving machines made. The required expert is not needed with this machine to keep it going, as it is simple and durable in its construction, and wherever it has been introduced it has given entire satisfaction. The goods handled by this firm are, in every sense of the word, "genuine," and their prices have been marked down so low that they are within the reach of all, and as fair and square dealers, they are recognized by the Christian counties, their motto being: "Good Goods, Small Profits," and a return of your patronage. If you are in need of implements to till your lands, hardware to complete your house or barn or carry, true fitting harness for your animals, call, write or send to Metcalfe, Graham & Co., who are now prepared to fill your order and furnish you with a beautiful illustrated catalogue. Their address and new headquarters is Main street, Hopkinsville, Ky.

MERCHANT TAILORING.

The Mammoth Establishment of

Jas. Pye & Co.

A person, in fact every one desires to look neat and tidy, and where they can accomplish these good looks, at a low down price is a matter of great importance and benefit to them. In passing along Main street yesterday, in search of items of interest, our attention was attracted; caused to halt and look into the handsome and large stocked establishment of Jas. Pye & Co. We were met by Mr. E. R. Cook, Jr., the manager, who entertained us to a queen's taste and never tired at showing and explaining to us the names and quality of their newly received spring goods, which stood erect, pile after pile and pattern after pattern in both ready-made clothing and cloths of every conceivable figure manufactured by our most prominent manufacturers. This firm has been in operation for a period of five years, and since that time they have, by industry, perseverance, good material and low prices, built up a trade necessitating the employment of 7 skilled "Knights of the Goose," who are now busily engaged in filling their orders which, at this early in the season, numbers way beyond the teens, and each mail brings to them order after order through and from Mr. George W. Gibson, who is now mingling with their custom trade throughout this whole section of country. Their stock is daily being increased by the arrival of our freight trains, and ere the shades of three or four evenings they will have one of the largest and best assorted stocks of spring and summer goods that ever was brought to this city by any one firm.

The tailoring and cutting departments are under the entire supervision of Mr. George Ridley, who has been connected with this establishment for 16 months, and has built up a reputation both for himself and this house second to no other house in this or adjoining counties. He is, practically speaking, the right man in the right place.

Young man, old man, in fact everybody, if you desire to look neat and nice, wear the best and latest styles of cloth for a small amount of money, go at once to James Pye & Co., and be happy. Suits guaranteed fit. If you can't come yourself, send your size and sample by mail and our word you will never regret it. Orders promptly and accurately filled by addressing your wants to James Pye & Co., Main street, Hopkinsville, Ky.

Go to Rea & Johnson to get your Repairing done.

GOBBLEERS FOR SALE.

I have for sale a number of very fine Bronze turkey gobbler.

Mrs. C. F. JARRETT,

Hopkinsville, Ky.

Feb. 19-3w.

The grand rush on M. O. Smith & Co., is occasioned by the U. K. U.

Ask for the U. K. U. at M. O. Smith & Co's.

Buy the Sewanee Cook Stove, the best in the market, for sale by Rea & Johnson.

Spring is here, and with it finds the best and cheapest Sugars, Coffees, Teas, &c., at M. O. Smith & Co's.

WANTED!

TO RENT a house containing 3 or 4 rooms. Would like to get possession by the 1st of March. Apply at this office or Geo. V. Thompson's Steamery.

The tornado and the inconvenience of freight transportation have been severe, but M. O. Smith & Co. have one of the finest stocks of Groceries, cheap for cash, in the city.

J. G. Hord Invites

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A GREAT CRASH in prices, at Hord's Grocery.

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And all take a ride" at J. M. Hopkins' New Livery Stable, in the old Main street warehouse.

Its Tandy this, and Tandy that, because everybody goes there, gets the best Liquors, Cigars, Tobacco, and a warm lunch day and night.

Notwithstanding the near strike of the tornado, W. R. Long has still left a few more choice Groceries and the best Red Liquor.

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If you have any Roofing or Guttering to do, go to Rea & Johnson.

A. Roberts,

The broom man, has just fitted up his factory with the best and latest improved machinery, and is now prepared to furnish the trade with brooms of all kinds. Without a good broom we would be buried alive in dirt, and to relieve yourself of this sad fate you should buy your brooms of A. Roberts. His prices are reasonable, his goods A No. 1, and merchants should make a note of this.

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Have moved to the Rosenbaum house, opposite McKee & Pool's, where they wish to see their old friends and many new ones. They have a fine line of Stores, Tinware, Glass and Queensware, and everything in their line new and old at Rock Bottom Prices. Give them a call.

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is as busy as a bee making and repairing harness. Why is it thus? Because he fills your orders quickly, accurately and uses nothing but the best material at prices within the reach of all.

Big Oronoko and Medley Pryor Tobacco Seed imported from Halifax county, Virginia, best varieties of heavy shipping, for sale at \$1 per ounce.

Geo. V. Thompson.

Jan'y 31, 1884.

HAY! HAY!

25 TONS of good Mixed Timothy Hay for sale. Apply to W. C. COOK.

Pictures! Pictures!!

I will probably be closed up in a short while, as my sky-light will be stopped up by the wall of the new building now being erected adjoining my gallery. I will then not be able to take pictures any more into my quarters in the new building. I hope those who want pictures will call as early as possible and let me serve them while I can. (Feb. 2-2w)

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Mr. Geo. W. Smith, who a few weeks ago moved and opened a livery, feed and sale stable on Bridge street, nearly opposite the postoffice, is now in full sail, having renovated the old building throughout by the assistance of the painter and carpenter until it now presents a very handsome appearance and stands in the front rank with our larger livery stables, and he wishes to inform his many friends throughout Christian county that such is a fact, and that he will feed and care for your stock as good if not better and furnish you with as good livery as can be had in the city at reasonable prices. He is not scant in feeding your animals and his stable and stalls are comfortable. Farmers, when you come to town put up with G. W. Smith. Particular attention and inducements given to traveling men. These are facts, but don't take our word for it, but go and see for yourselves, and 10 cents to a ginger cake you will be entirely satisfied. (Feb. 22 1m.)

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